

Newsletter

Blue Hills College

Where Christian Values Matter

21 Sep 2017

Calendar

- **LAST Day of Term 3**
22 Sep
- **Public Holiday**
2 Oct
- **PUPIL FREE DAY**
9 Oct
- **TERM 4 Begins**
10 Oct
- **Blaze Out BHC**
13 Oct
- **Pathfinder Hall Night**
14 Oct
- **HSC Exams Start**
16 Oct
- **Yr 7 Immunisations**
19 Oct
- **Lismore Show day**
19 Oct
- **Yr 10 Step-up Program**
20 Oct
- **Adventurers**
21 Oct

Another term has come to a close and we would like to thank all of our school community for being part of it. We hope you are able to enjoy the break with your children.

It is also the closing of a chapter for our Year 12 students – having finished their last official day of classes. With only their HSC ahead of them we would like to wish them well with their exams, and more importantly, with the next chapter of their lives. It has been wonderful having this group as part of our school and they will be missed by many. May God bless you as your new adventure begins.

Jeremiah 29: 11(NIV)

“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”

Bronwyn Tually
(Primary Coordinator)



General News

Talented Students in Year 6

Ella Biggin (right) recently competed at the Lismore Eisteddfod receiving many awards for her singing.



Ginger Dickens (left) an up and coming actress, is currently working on the TV series "Grace Beside Me". This will be aired on the ABC in 2018.

Certificates for Years 5 & 6

The Year 5 & 6 students recently received certificates from our local federal member, Kevin Hogan, to commemorate their visit to Parliament House in Canberra.



Unknown Bank Deposit ???

We have received an unknown deposit in the amount of \$1000, on 23 August 2017, with the description 'School' from a NAB bank account. If you believe this is your deposit, please contact Amber Sekulic on 66256000 ASAP. Thank you.

NSW CIS State Athletics

This term Year 3 & 4 have been learning about Japanese Haiku poetry and Japanese Theatre. We looked at Kabuki theatre styles and Noh, then had great fun dressing up.



Summer

Summer is so warm

The warm rays shining on me

Perfect for a swim

By Georgina Cappe Year 4



NSW CIS State Athletics

Congratulations once more to Malachi Canning who attended the 2017 NSW CIS State Athletics on Wednesday, 13 September, at the Sydney Olympic Park. Results as follows:-

- 100m won the event & broke the record.....Silver Medal
- 200m won the event & broke the record.....Silver Medal
- 800m came second.....Silver Medal
- Long Jump won the event and broke the record.....Silver Medal
- Shot Put won the event & broke the record.....Gold Medal
- Discus won the event (I have no information).....Gold Medal



General News

Year 11 & 12

WOOD TECHNOLOGY PROJECT

Every year our Wood Technology Department is producing excellent work of which Damon Lemke's guitar and Mitchell Nabbe's Canoe from 2016 are excellent examples. This year we had one Year 12 student doing Wood Technology and that was Samuel Duden. He has also excelled and produced a magnificent rocking chair, as can be seen in the photo, of which he should be very proud. There is no doubt, he will receive an excellent grade for his effort. A big thank you also to Mr Tony Coombs who assisted Samuel throughout this project.



TWO UNIT MATHEMATICS

Maths is fun all the time! The Year 11 students will agree with me as they are learning about the movement of a point, called the locus, which satisfies a certain condition. The locus can be a straight line or a curve, like a circle or a parabola etc. The outcome at times can be quite the opposite of what you expect (as can be seen in the photo with Aaron Hall and Georgia Wright).



RUOK?

On Thursday, 14 September, the Year 3-6 students took part in RUOK day by joining together for morning tea



and to have a chat with each other. The aim was to inspire and empower everyone to positively connect with people around them and support anyone who is struggling with something in their life.

Maths Fun Day

The Primary students had a fantastic time problem solving and working together while enjoying a variety of maths games today. Here are photos of some of the students participating in the fun activities.



Yr 3 & 4 Currumbin Excursion

Year 3 & 4 had a wonderful day exploring the wildlife sanctuary on 11 September. We watched sheep shearing, a bird show, fed kangaroo's, watched a crocodile show, rode the mini train, explored the wildlife, had a photo with a koala and enjoyed a fun time playing in Blinky Bill's Treehouse.



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Music Tuition at BHC



If you have a child who is interested there are some new opening spots available for Guitar, Bass, Drums and Keyboard. Tuition is in small groups and the lessons are for half an hour. Instruments are available at school if required or convenient.

My name is Daniel Bennier and I am a local dad. I come with a wealth of knowledge as a High School music teacher. I have an extensive background in school bands and choirs. I will be teaching students how to read and play instruments in an engaging way.

\$15 per student for a group session

\$25 per student for a one-on-one lesson

If you are interested in booking a lesson for your child/ren, please complete the Expression of Interest note below and you will be contacted with a lesson time and payment information. If you would like more information on the lessons, please contact **Daniel on 0437 845 814 or danielbennier76@gmail.com.**

Family Support Network

FREE 5 sessions Triple P Group –

Positive Parenting Program

Starting: Monday, 16 October

Ending: Monday, 13 November

Venue: 143 Laurel Avenue, Lismore

Presenter: Karen Rea, Family Support Network

A light morning tea will be provided

Triple P can help you:

- Build a positive relationship with your child.
- Use discipline strategies that work.
- Take care of yourself as a parent.

Please ring Family Support Network on **6621 2489** to book.



NDIS

The National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) is in full swing in the Northern NSW region and most of ON-Q's participants have received their first NDIS plan and funding package. If you, or someone you know, are eligible for the NDIS or interested in finding out more about it, please give us a call on 1800 761 561 or drop us a line at info@onqhr.com.au to arrange a one-on-one discussion and step-by-step support.

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CANTEEN—TERM 4

A new menu for Term 4 has been distributed and more copies are available at the Canteen and Office.



Canteen re-opens on Tuesday, 10 October.

Thank you for supporting the BHC Canteen.

Prayer List

At Blue Hills College, we believe in the power of prayer. Please contact us if you would like to share specific prayer requests with our staff. We ask you to join us in praying for specific individuals, both students and staff.

“Don't fret or worry. Instead of worrying, pray. Let petitions and praises shape your worries into prayers, letting God know your concerns. Before you know it, a sense of God's wholeness, everything coming together for good, will come and settle you down. It's wonderful what happens when Christ displaces worry at the center of your life.” (Phil 4:6-7, MSG)

9 Oct	William Pratt	16 Oct	Jayden Horder
	Noah Rapmund		Lydia Krampe
11 Oct	Lucas Squires	17 Oct	Ginevra Lazar
	Abbey Tickner		Riley McPherson
12 Oct	Joshua Bull	18 Oct	Alyssa Newell
	Will Carmichael		Claire Osborne
13 Oct	Arly Cook-MacKay	19 Oct	Ben Parkinson
	Kypher Dodd		Charli Poidevin
14 Oct	Aaron Fayers	20 Oct	Sienna Saunders
	Abby Hicks		Blade Schindelbacher
Staff	Brendon Carvill	Staff	Serimelor Hoffman
	Semele Hillier		Ros Hopkins

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